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My dear Mr. Dulles:

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Recently you honored me with your autograph. I never expected the very nice letter you sent me with the autograph.

This note is to express my appreciation and my thanks.

You shall be in my prayers on Christmas Day.

Very sincerely yours,
Albert Di Pippo
Teacher
Nathanael Greene Jr. High School

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A Joyous
Christmas

"The Legend of the Christmas Rose"

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 N that Holy Night when the Christ Child was born, the angels filled the heavens with shining stars and placed a very special one over the stable so its brilliant rays would light the way for all to visit the new born Savior in Bethlehem. The Wise Men journeyed from the East bearing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

They were seen from afar by a poor little shepherdess.

Shepherds, told of the Christ Child by angels who appeared unto them, gathered gifts and hastened to the Manger to present them to the Infant Jesus.

The little shepherdess saw them pass by and wept because she had no gift to take to the Manger.

As her tears fell to the ground, flowers sprang up and blossomed.

With a gladdened heart she gathered them — and hurried to the stable. In adoration she knelt and placed the flowers in the crib. When the Christ Child reached out His blessed little hands and touched the blossoms, the centers of each became a delicate pink.

 And thus the Christmas Rose was born.

Mr. Allen Dulles

May Christmas bring you

joy as deep

As the joy that came to earth,

When the heavens

told their message

Of our Holy Saviour's birth.

Albert Di Pippo

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles:

For your information, I am attaching the previous letter that you received from Mr. Di Pippo and a copy of your 29 November reply.



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